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R 241144Z JUN 75

FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 0035

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 1494

ADDIS FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY DAVIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, US, CG

SUBJ: LOCAL REACTION ZAIRE/USG DEVELOPMENTS

REF: STATE 142457

1. LOCAL REACTION ZAIRE/USG DEVELOPMENTS HAS BEEN LOW-KEY BUT ATTENTIVE. BOTH FOREIGN MINISTRY AND SECURITY OFFICIALS HAVE SPECIFICALLY QUERIED US RE ALLEGED USG INVOLVEMENT, TO WHICH WE HAVE RESPONDED ALONG LINES REFTEL. PRESS COVERAGE HAS SO FAR BEEN ROUTINE EXCEPT FOR TENDENTIOUS PIECE BY ANTI-US COLUMNIST EL SIR HASSAN FADUL IN JUNE 22 AL AYYAM. FADUL CLAIMED AMBASSADOR HINTON "WELL KNOWN FOR PLANNING COUPS IN THE INTEREST OF THE CIA AND AGAINST THE COUNTRIES WHICH DIVERGE FROM US POLICY LINE", RECALLED HIS EARLIER FULMINATIONS AGAINST APPOINTMENT AMBASSADOR DAVIS AND ASSERTED THAT, SINCE TAKING OVER AF, DAVIS HAS BEEN RESPONSIBLE "FOR MANY TRANSFERS AMONG US AMBASSADORS, INCLUDING THE APPOINTMENT OF (HINTON) TO KINSHASA". TV JUNE 23 CARRIED FILM CLIPS OF KINSHASA DEMONSTRATIONS CONDEMNING IMPERIALISM "PARTICULARLY THE US"

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BUT NEWSCASTER WAS CAREFUL AT SAME TIME TO NOTE USG

DENIAL AND ASSERTION WE HAVE GOOD RELATIONS  
WITH ZAIRE.  
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